

ABSTRACT

Techniques are provided that are useful in generating a software configuration program that makes the configuration process simpler and more efficient. The techniques are 5 especially useful in configuring a software application that is complex and may involve multiple steps to configure the application properly. The techniques provide both a design-time software tool that is used to design the software configuration program and a run-time software tool that is 10 used to manage and control the execution of the software configuration program.